

**PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER**  
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Docket No.  
23-02

TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Transmitted herewith for filing under 35 U.S.C. 111 and 37 C.F.R. 1.53 is the patent application of:

Keiji Yoshizawa

For: **A METHOD OF EFFICIENTLY CONVERTING-TO-ARRAY AND COMPRESSING DATA IN A PROGRAM FOR CONVERTING MASK PATTERNS OF A LSI**

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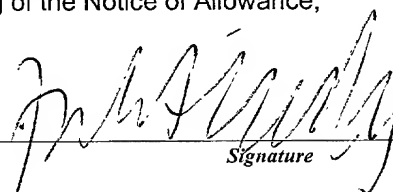
- ☒ Certificate of Mailing with Express Mail Mailing Label No. **EF298700685US**
- ☒ 19 sheets of drawings.
- ☐ A certified copy of a \_\_\_\_\_ application.
- ☒ Declaration ☒ Signed. ☐ Unsigned.
- ☒ Power of Attorney
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement
- ☐ Preliminary Amendment
- ☒ Other: **Japanese Priority Doc No. 2001-030006**

**CLAIMS AS FILED**

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<b>Total Claims</b>	8	- 20 =	0	x \$18.00	\$0.00
<b>Indep. Claims</b>	1	- 3 =	0	x \$84.00	\$0.00
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<b>BASIC FEE</b>					\$740.00
<b>TOTAL FILING FEE</b>					\$1,020.00

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Dear Sir:

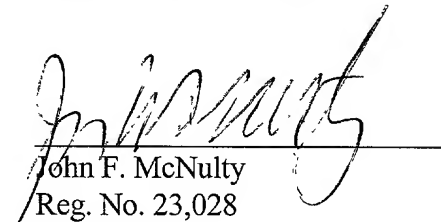
- (1) Specification (22 pages);
- (2) Claims (3 pages);
- (3) Abstract (1 page);
- (4) Declaration and Power of Attorney (3 pages);
- (5) 19 Sheets of drawings (in triplicate);
- (6) Transmittal form (duplicate);
- (7) Check in the amount of \$1020.00 application filing fee;
- (8) Assignment with PTO 1595;

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- (9) Japanese Priority Document 2001-30006, dated February 6, 2001;
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